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TRANSMITTAL OF INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Sir:

Applicant wishes to draw attention to the documents listed on the accompanying information disclosure statement. Copies of the documents other than U.S. patents and U.S. patent application publications are enclosed.

The document listed on form PTO-1449 was cited in an Office action that was issued in the corresponding Japanese patent application on September 15, 2009. An English translation of the Japanese Office action is enclosed. Under MPEP 609.04(a) III, applicant believes that it is not necessary to provide a concise explanation of the relevance of the documents that are not in the English language.

Pursuant to MPEP 609, it is requested that the examiner should initial the information disclosure statement to confirm that each document has been considered, and return a copy of the form to the undersigned with the first Office Action.

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